

South Carolina National Heritage Corridor

South Carolina

Authorized November 12, 1996

Years since Designation

1996 2002

Management Entity State of South Carolina (Heritage Tourism Development Office, South Carolina Department of Parks, Recreation and Tourism)



Management Plan Status approved

Square Mileage of Counties in Heritage Area 9,336

2000 Census Data

Data	2000 Census	Percent Change from 1990
Total Population	1,188,619	+11.9
Persons under 18 Years, Percent	25.0	-6.6
Persons 25-44 Years, Percent	28.2	-7.5
Persons Over 65 Years, Percent	13.1	+6.6
White Alone, Percent	62.5	-2.9
Hispanic Origin, Percent	1.6	+160
Black or African American, Percent	34.5	-1.2
Median Household Income (2000 \$)	n/a	n/a
Percent Unemployed	5.4	n/a
Percent Below Poverty Level	16.9	n/a

Profile

Two routes through 14 counties in western South Carolina begin in the mill villages, waterfalls, and mountains of the Up Country; run through historic courthouse towns and military sites and along the Savannah River; and follow the Edisto River and the South Carolina Railroad to the Low Country's wealth of African-American and antebellum history, centered in and around historic Charleston.

Resources Profile

Number of National Register Properties	439
Number of National Historic Landmarks	47
National Natural Landmarks	3
National Park Units	0

Congressional Districts 4

Local Government Units 228

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